

4. (Twice Amended) Gas-producing composition according to claim 1, wherein the nitrogen-containing compounds are tetrazole derivatives selected from the group consisting of compounds, 5-aminotetrazole; lithium, sodium, potassium, zinc, magnesium, strontium or calcium 5-aminotetrazolate; 5-aminotetrazole nitrate, sulphate, or perchlorate; 1-(4-aminophenyl)-tetrazole, 1-(4-nitrophenyl)-tetrazole, 1-methyl-5-dimethyl-aminotetrazole, 1-methyl-5-methylamino-tetrazole, 1-methyltetrazole, 1-phenyl-5-aminotetrazole, 1-phenyl-5-hydroxytetrazole, 1-phenyltetrazole, 2-ethyl-5-aminotetrazole, 2-methyl-5-aminotetrazole, 2-methyl-5-carboxyltetrazole, 2-methyl-5-methylaminotetrazole, 2-methyltetrazole, 2-phenyltetrazole, 5-(p-tolyl)tetrazole, 5-diallylaminotetrazole, 5-dimethylaminotetrazole, 5-ethylaminotetrazole, 5-hydroxytetrazole, 5-methyltetrazole, 5-methylaminotetrazole, 5-n-decylaminotetrazole, 5-n-heptylaminotetrazole, 5-n-octylaminotetrazole, 5-phenyltetrazole, 5-phenylaminotetrazole, bis-(aminoguanidine)-azotetrazole and diguanidinium-5,5'-azo-tetrazolate, 5,5'-bitetrazole and 5,5'-bi-1H-tetrazoleammonium compounds.